

ELCA WORLD HUNGER RESOURCE ABCs

Advocacy

Sign up to be an e-advocate at www.elca.org/advocacy

AIDS

World AIDS Day is December 1

www.elca.org/AIDS

www.unaids.org

Note the HIV/AIDS projects highlighted in the new Stand With Africa bulletin.

Augsburg Fortress

Request/order resources at 800-328-4648 or

www.augsburgfortress.org/elcahunger

Basics Bulletin 6-0002-0710-7 (50 in pkg.)

Usually updated for the Winter Resource Packet

Basics Show ("For such a time as this")

6-0002-0877-4 (one per congregation)

DVD includes 10-minute narrated, animated PowerPoint and bonus features.

If your older computer won't open the DVD, a CD version will be made on request (RIS@elca.org).

Cards & tags

*Blank blue note cards (for leaders only) 6-0001-9748-9 (10 in pkg.)

*Printed blue gift cards 6-0001-9705-5 (10 pkg.)

*Blank black note cards 6-0002-1176-7

*Gift tags 6-0002-1546-0 (10 pkg.)

*All-occasion postcards 6-0002-0433-7

*Christmas card enclosures 6-0001-9057-3 (BTW: a new set is planned for Winter Packet)

Calendar and coin bank

*Living Simply 40-day Calendar 6-0002-0188-5 (25/pkg)

*Coin bank 6-0001-9706-3 (25/pkg)

Country Packets (Global Mission)

www.elca.org/countrypackets/select.html

Cover sheet

Turn a Hunger Packet's cover sheet over to find helpful ordering information.

Disaster Response (International and Domestic)

www.elca.org/disaster

After a significant disaster, check the Web for information and a possible reproducible bulletin insert.

Displays

**Pull-up banners are available for synod events. Reserve with Stephen Taylor (hunger@elca.org).

- God's math (new)
- Basics (Relief, Development, Education, Advocacy)
- Stained Glass World Hunger graphic
- Stand With Africa: Remain Standing
- Waving Children (based on poster)
- Baobab tree

**How about a "Good Gifts" Christmas tree display?

**Get fabric and baskets for your display tables from The Greater Good/SERRV

(www.agreatergift.org) and MarketPlace of India

(www.marketplaceindia.org).

Domestic Hunger Grants

www.elca.org/grantinghope

Dramas

"Hunger & Hope: Dramas about Poverty, Hunger & Mission" (6-0002-0902-9, \$8 plus shipping) is in production. Find "Spirit Fire," one of the book's dramas in the Summer 2006 packet. Contact Bob.sitze@elca.org for info and dramatic help.

E-cards www.elca.org/ecards

Promote gift-donations w/an e-card announcement for Mother's and Father's Day and other special occasions.

Ecunet www.ecunet.org

Join and participate in the ELCA WORLD HUNGER LEADERS Ecunet/LutherLink discussion group. You can be an "Ecunet Lite" member and belong to three discussion groups for free, but a full membership is just \$39.95/year. A full membership allows you unlimited access to groups and lets you create your own public and private meetings. Go to <http://tinyurl.com/clswm> to join.

Facts

- Bread for the World Institute's annual Hunger Report (see appendices)
- www.elca.org/hunger/facts/facts.html
- Request your free copy of World Food Programme's (www.wfp.org) large and informative Hunger Map by going to <http://tinyurl.com/r2d7x>

Fair Trade chocolate, coffee, handcrafts

www.lwr.org/fairtrade

When you order through LWR's Greater Good/SERRV catalog (available online), 10 percent of your total is contributed to Lutheran World Relief.

(Fair Trade, continued)

Fair Trade chocolate, coffee, and handcrafts are helpful additions to an Alternative Giving Fair and are useful for fundraising.

Food pantry

Go to www.endhungerinamerica.org to download "Charity Food Programs That Can End Hunger in America" by John Arnold.

Good Gifts

www.elca.org/goodgifts

Giving

- www.elca.org/giving
- www.elca.org/gifts
- 800-638-3522
- Call Rodger Prois for planned giving/bequests (800/638-3522, ext. 2865)
- Hunger pew envelopes 6-0002-0149-4 (50/pkg)
- Disaster pew envelopes 6-0002-0399-3 (50/pkg)
- See back page of the Basics bulletin, the Hunger Guide for Congregations, or a pew envelope for giving information.

Good Samaritan ("Go and do likewise")

Our tagline, "Go and do likewise," comes from the last line of the parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37). We find the parable in the lectionary during cycle "C," coming up next on **July 15, 2007**.

- The "Go and do" bookmarks are still available, in limited quantity (6-0002-1175-9).
- The "Go and do" 30-day devotional "checkbooklets" will be available through summer 2007, too (6-0002-1201-2).
- The blue gift cards (6-0001-9705-5, 10/pkg) feature the full text of the parable.

Hamiltons for Hunger

Youth gathering participants are bringing three "Hamiltons" (\$30) as a donation to the ELCA World Hunger Appeal. Your registration material includes a related, reproducible bulletin insert for JULY 30, 2006 (Loaves and Fishes Sunday). Find the bulletin online at www.elca.org/youth/images/loaves-fishesFINAL.pdf

Hunger@elca.org

The easy-to-remember email address to reach Stephen Taylor, and, through Stephen, all of ELCA World Hunger staff.

Hunger Guide for Congregations

Updated for each packet. Current guide (Pentecost 2006), 6-0002-0872-3, offers worship suggestions for July 30, August 27, September 24, October 1, October 15, and November 12, 2006. Find useful ideas and reproducible blurbs in the Guide.

ImageEvent

www.imageevent.com/elcahunger

The place to find pictures taken by ELCA World Hunger staff (Africa, India, Hunger Leaders Gatherings). To download the full-resolution image, click on the image, then, at the bottom of the screen, click on "original." The pictures and captions are also a good source for stories.

Go to www.imageevent.com to set up your own account to share pictures from companion synod visits, servant events, and the like. Contact Sue (800-638-3522, ext. 2969) for more info.

iGive.com

Shop online through iGive and a host of online retailers (e.g., Lands End, JC Penney) will donate a percentage of the total to the ELCA World Hunger Appeal. Learn more at <http://tinyurl.com/ha4wz>

Just Neighbors

Learn more about this nine-session course on domestic hunger and advocacy at www.justneighbors.net Order from Family Promise, Inc., (908.273.1100 info@familypromise.org) or see if you can borrow the kit from your synod resource center.

Kenya --one of the 75 countries with it's own Global Mission Country Packet. See "Country Packet."

LifeLines, is the quarterly newsletter of ELCA World Hunger. Email hunger@elca.org to subscribe, or to receive multiple copies of the latest issue.

Lectionary

Augsburg Fortress offers a handy-dandy sheet listing the lectionary readings for the year (buy 12, they're under \$1 each). ISBN 0-8066-4684-5 for 2006 (Cycle B). ISBN 0-8066-4939-9 for 2007 (Cycle C).

Millennium Development Goals

Featured in The Basics bulletin (6-0002-0710-7), The Basics Show DVD (6-0002-0877-4), the Stand With Africa bulletin (6-0002-0891-X), and the ONE Lutheran/MDG brochure (6-0002-0935-5, 25/pkg.) and wallet card (6-0002-0936-3). Learn more at www.elca.org/advocacy

Offering of Letters

Find a brochure about Bread for the World's 2006 Offering of Letters, "One Spirit. One Will. Zero Poverty" in the Summer 2006 packet. Learn more at www.bread.org Sneak peak: the 2007 Offering will focus on the Farm Bill and the food stamp program.

ONE Lutheran Campaign

www.elca.org/advocacy/one/default.asp

ONE bracelets

(\$10 for a package of 10) order through <http://store.one.org/donate.aspx>

Open a World of Possibilities: Nicaragua available in three formats www.elca.org/openaworld/nicaragua

Packets

The Summer ELCA World Hunger Resource packet in mails in May and the Fall packet mails in October. Packet resources can be ready to request earlier. Scan the online store www.augsburgfortress.org/elcahunger or contact hunger@elca.org to see what's new and available to meet a pre-packet deadline.

Palms

Check out www.lwr.org/palms to see if eco-friendly palms are available in your area.

Partners

ELCA World Hunger is effective and efficient because it works with many trusted partners, notably Lutheran World Relief (www.lwr.org) and Lutheran World Federation (www.elca.org/lwf). Not all hunger-related organizations are World Hunger partners, however. Contact Nancy Arnison (800-638-3522, ext. 2709) or Kathryn Sime (ext. 2757) with your questions.

Repro stories

Find new reproducible stories in each packet and online at

www.elca.org/hunger/stories

Summer stories 6-0002-0874-X

Simple Living

- Living Simply With God: A 40-Day Hunger Calendar 6-0002-0188-5
- Alternatives for Simple Living www.simpleliving.org

Souper Bowl of Caring

February 4, 2007

www.souperbowl.org 800-358-SOUP

Encourage youth groups to register with and report their totals to the Souper Bowl organization; to participate in a service project; and on Super Bowl Sunday to collect dollars and canned goods for the ELCA World Hunger Appeal and local hunger ministries. Share your Souper activities, stories, and pictures with sue.edison-swift@elca.org

Staff

Find contact information for World Hunger and Disaster Response staff on the back of the "waving children" World Hunger poster (6-0002-0434-5). Since the poster's printing new staff members have joined the team:

* Jennifer Barger, coordinator for donor relations (ext. 2638,

Jennifer.barger@elca.org)

* Rodger Prois, mission advancement officer (ext. 2865,

Rodger.prios@elca.org)

* Michael Nevergall, program interpretation for Domestic Disaster Response, (ext. 2863, Michael.nevergall@elca.org)

Stand With Africa

The new bulletin opens to a large country map of Africa and offers a sampling of Stand With Africa projects (6-0002-0891-X, 25/pkg).

Download just the map at

www.elca.org/hunger/resources/packet/top40/SWA-map.pdf)

Tokens

* "Come, Lord Jesus" prayer magnets (6-0002-0044-7, 10/pkg)

* See "Zimbabwe bottle-cap pins"

****TOP 40 ELCA World Hunger Resources Catalog****

Updated for each packet. Summer 2006 (6-0002-0875-8)

Travel (Faithful Travel)

- *Welcome Forward*, book and CD (6-0002-0186-9, \$8, plus shipping)
- Watch the powerful 12-minute video, "Faithful Travel With Rick Steves" online at www.elca.org/mosaic/faithfultravel/index.html

Volunteers (individuals and groups) are needed to help with clean-up, rebuilding, and recovery projects along the Gulf Coast. To learn how, visit www.ldr.org/volunteer

WEB www.elca.org/hunger
www.elca.org/disaster

Worship

*Share Your Bread (6-0001-1899-6), a lectionary-based planning guide written in 2000, is available from Augsburg Fortress (\$10 plus shipping).

*Hunger for the Word, Bread for the World offers these "Lectionary Reflections on Food and Justice" for each of the three Cycles. Order from Alternatives for Simple Living (<http://tinyurl.com/nm6ux>); \$20 each, \$55 for all three, plus shipping.

*See "Hunger Guide for Congregations" and "Lectionary"

Youth

- See "Hamiltons for Hunger"
- See "OWP:Nicaragua"
- SWA God's Global Barnyard storybook (6-0001-6480-7) is still available
- Check out the interactive games at www.standwithafrica.org/ytas/index.html

Zimbabwe bottle-cap pins

Supply is sporadic, so check with Stephen Taylor (hunger@elca.org) about availability. Minimum donation is \$2 per pin.